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Applicant: McMahon et al.

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For: **METHODS OF MAKING SLIDE-ZIPPERED RECLOSABLE PACKAGES  
ON HORIZONTAL FORM-FILL-SEAL MACHINES**

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